

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS FOR
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2. The Operations Coordinating Board (OCB) -- our role and mission in it; its relationship to CIA operations.
5. What particular intelligence successes have we had?
8. The Task Force has heard of CIA as the "Fourth Force"; An elaboration of the philosophy behind this is desired.
9. Development of a cold war project -- standards by which allocations of funds are made for various projects and how the amount needed is determined, by whom and what checks are made. *The role of CIA in*
general spread
10. Ideas as to future plans in various areas; namely, whether or not an expansion, contraction, elimination, or change is contemplated in such stations as [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
- 11-a. The relationship between senior representative in [REDACTED] and the field activities regarding lines of authority.
- 11-b. The relationship between senior representative in [REDACTED] and the field activities regarding lines of authority.
12. In some areas in the field, the Task Force representatives encountered an apparent belief that collection of "military intelligence" was of secondary importance to your Agency representatives. A comment on this is requested.
13. A comment on relationship between CIA and State Department at desk level.
14. A comment on the interchange of information at theater command level with reference to assets and capabilities, as distinct from sources, is desired.
15. A discussion of the "veto" power of various desk assignments in Washington. i.e., Can a desk officer veto a project submitted from the field? At what level can it be turned down?
16. Role of CIA in Iran. (No paper required.)
19. Role of CIA in Indochina.
20. Your views as to how more positive information can be collected from China and USSR.
21. [REDACTED]

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